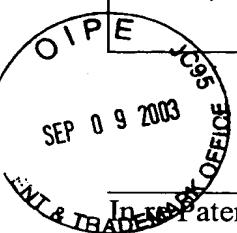


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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2003 (Paper No. 11), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

SPECIFICATION

There are no amendments to the specification.

Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

CLAIMS

There are no amendments to the claims.

A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.